

\*\*\*\*SIGACT CLOSED\*\*\*\*

**SIGACT Report****TITLE:** (EXPLOSIVE HAZARD) IED EXPLOSION RPT (Directional IED) 511 ENG  
IVO (ROUTE MSR TAMPA): 0 INJ/DAM**TRACKING NUMBER:** 20111121011338SMB3470692718**REPORT PRECEDENCE:** Flash**CLASSIFICATION:** ~~SECRET~~**RELEASABILITY:** ~~REL TO USA, FVEY~~**REPORTING UNIT NAME:** USD-C G3 SIGACT  
MANAGER**REPORT SOURCE:** Coalition**SPOT Section****UNIT NAME INVOLVED:** 511 ENG**CALL SIGN:** Not Reported**TYPE OF INVOLVED UNIT:** CF**INVOLVED UNIT ACTIVITY:** Route Clearance**INCIDENT REPORTED BY:** Coalition Forces**BATTLESPACE LEAD:** Coalition**TIP REPORTED BY:** Not Reported**DTG CREATED (LOCAL):** 2011-11-21  
09:35:06**DTG OF INCIDENT (LOCAL):** 2011-11-21  
01:13:00**DTG UPDATED (LOCAL):** 2011-11-21  
18:46:10**Location****MGRS:** 38SMB3470692718**ROUTE:** MSR TAMPA**Events****EVENT TYPE:** Explosive Hazard**MODES OF ATTACK:** Directional IED**EVENT CATEGORY:** IED Explosion

PRIMARY INTENDED OUTCOME: Anti-Armor

SUICIDE?: No

EFFECTIVE HIT?: No

COORDINATED ATTACK: No

COMPLEX ATTACK: No

COUNTER ATTACK: No

MEDEVAC REQUESTED: No

BLOWN IN PLACE: No

SUMMARY: USF REPORT 21 0941 NOV 11

AT 21 0113 NOV 11, AN IED DETONATED 10 METERS IN FRONT OF A 2/511 EN C-IED PATROL TRAVELING NORTH ON MSR TAMPA. THERE WERE NO CASUALTIES OR DAMAGE. (b)(1)1.4g TO THE SITE TO PROVIDE OVERWATCH. 1-73 CAV QRF AND EOD RESPONDED TO THE SITE AND 6TH IA WAS NOTIFIED. EOD CONDUCTED PBA AND REPORTED THAT THE BLAST WAS THE RESULT OF AN EFP. EOD CLEARED THE SITE. 2/511 EN CONTINUED MISSION. QRF AND EOD RETURNED TO VBC.

EOD ASSESSMENT: EOD TM 1-3 ISO 1/73 CAV MANEUVERED TO CONDUCT POST BLST ANALYSIS AT GRID 38S MB 34706 92718. AT 210113CNOV2011 511TH EN CO 1ST PLATOON ROUTE CLEARANCE CONVOY WAS TRAVELING SOUTH ON ASR VERNON WHEN AN IED DETONATED APPROXIMATELY 10 METERS IN FRONT OF THE LEAD VEHICLE. THE IED WAS LOCATED ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE NORTH BOUND LANE. THE VEHICLE SUSTAINED NO DAMAGED AND THE ROUTE CLEARANCE REPORTED NO CASUALTIES. ONCE ON SCENE THE TEAM LEADER WAS BRIEFED ON THE LOCATION OF THE BLAST SEAT AND THAT THE AREA HAD BEEN CLEARED OF SECONDARY DEVICES. TM ESTABLISHED SAFE AREA AT GRID 38S MB 34710 92586 AND TEAM LEADER DISMOUNTED (b)(1)1.4g TO EXPLOIT THE BLAST SEAT. (b)(1)1.4c ON A GUARD RAIL AND A BLAST PATTERN CONSISTENT WITH AN EFP. TL IDENTIFIED AN OLD BLAST SEAT WITH A SIMILAR BLAST PATTERN 10 METERS NORTH OF BLAST SEAT. NO EXPLOSIVE HAZARDS WERE FOUND ON SCENE.

IT IS THE TEAM LEADER'S ASSESSMENT THAT THE IED CONSISTED OF ONE (b)(1)1.4c, (b)(1)1.4g ON THE GUARD RAIL AND BLAST PATTERN AT THE BLAST SEAT. THE INITIATION

DEVICE COULD NOT BE DETERMINED DUE TO THE LACK OF EVIDENCE FOUND ON SCENE. TEAM LEADER WAS INFORMED BY THE RCP COMMANDER THAT HIS PATROL CLEARED THE NORTH BOUND LANE APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THE IED DETONATION. TL ASSESSES THAT THE EMPLACEMENT TEAMS ARE WAITING FOR ROUTE CLEARANCE TO CLEAR A ROUTE THEN EMPLACE THE IED TO TARGET FOLLOW ON CONVOYS.

TL OBSERVED IA CHECK POINT APPROXIMATELY 150M SOUTH OF THE BLAST SEAT ON THE NORTH BOUND LANE OF ASR VERNON. IA CHECKPOINT WAS NOT OBSCURED FROM THE BLAST SEAT AND HAD A DIRECT LINE OF SIGHT.

S2 ASSESSMENT:

(b)(1)1.4c

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(b)(1)1.4c INTENDED TO TARGET USF CONVOYS TRAVELING ALONG THE SHULA EXPRESS WAY WITH AN IED/EFP ON 19 NOVEMBER. IT IS LIKELY THIS ATTACK IS ASSOCIATED

(b)(1)1.4c

LIKELY THESE EFP ATTACKS ARE THE FALLOUT OF SUCH LETHAL AID ENTERING THE COUNTRY. IT IS POSSIBLE THESE TWO ATTACKS, AS WELL AS THE LONG RANGE IDF ATTACKS ON COS BASRAH, ARE THE REFLECTIONS OF THAT LETHAL AID FLOW ENTERING THE COUNTRY.

IN ADDITION TO

(b)(1)1.4c

(b)(1)1.4c RECENTLY UNDERWENT A LEADERSHIP "RESHUFFLE" DUE TO TASK FORCE TARGETING AS WELL AS INTERNAL INFIGHTING. RECENT EFP ATTACKS AS WELL AS SI REFLECTIONS OF A PLANNED IDF ATTACK INDICATE THE

(b)(1)1.4c

(b)(1)1.4c AND LEGITIMACY WITHIN THE NETWORK.

ROLLUP:

NONE

CLOSED

ENEMY:

COALITION:

KIA:

WIA:

DET:

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ABD:

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CIVILIAN:			HOST NATION:		
KIA:	WIA:	ABD:	KIA:	WIA:	ABD:
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**CCIR Status**

**SUMMARY:** USF-I DCG(O) IR 17: Any attack utilizing RKG-3, EFP, SVBIED and/or PBIED

**GROUP:** USD-C G3 SIGACT MANAGER

**Capture Details****Casualty Details****Target(s) of Attack**

**PRECEDENCE:** Primary

**TYPE:** Coalition

**AFFILIATION:** Coalition

**SECT:** Unknown

**DETAILS:** Other

**NATIONALITY:** UNITED STATES

**STATUS:** Unaffected

**DESCRIPTION:** Not Reported

**Indirect Fire Information**

**Vehicle/Convoy Details**

NUMBER OF VEHICLES: 0

DISTANCE BETWEEN VEHICLES: 0 Meters

CONVOY SPEED: 0 MPH

NEAREST ECM DIST TO IED: 0 Meters

NEAREST ECM DIST TO VEHICLE STRUCK: 0 Meters

OTHER COUNTERMEASURES ON VEHICLE STRUCK: Not Reported

VEHICLE SUMMARY: Not Reported

**DRUGREP Details**

FACILITY TYPE: Not Reported

**Drugs Found****Chemicals Found****Equipment Found****Reintegration Details**

REINTEGRATION OPEN: No

REINTEGRATION OPEN COMMENTS:

No

NUMBER OF REINTEGRATEES:

0

	FOLLOW UP DATES	COMPLETED	COMPLETED DATE
VETTING DATE:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
COMMUNITY TALK DATE:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
REINTEGRATION DATE:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
7 DAY FOLLOW UP:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
30 DAY FOLLOW UP:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
60 DAY FOLLOW UP:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
90 DAY FOLLOW UP:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported
180 DAY FOLLOW UP:	Not Reported	No	Not Reported

REINTEGRATION CLOSED: No

REINTEGRATION CLOSED REASON: Not

Reported

REINTEGRATION CLOSED COMMENTS:

No